# ARKANSAS PROFESSIONAL BAIL BOND COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD November 13, 2009

Chairman Curt Clark called the meeting to order.

Roll call was taken. The following members were present: Scott Bradley, Jimmy Ibison, Derrick Person, Jeremy Rowland, Curt Clark, Ronnie Baldwin and Phyllis Carruth.. Executive Director Tommy Reed, Assistant Attorney General Amanda Abernethy and staff were also present.

Following a review of the Board Minutes for the previous month's meeting, Mr. Ibison moved to approve the minutes presented. Mr. Person seconded. The motion carried on voice vote with none opposed.

A plaque was presented to Mr. Eugene Reynolds for his service to the state as a board member from 2001 to 2009.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **Transfers/Suspensions/Reinstatements:**

A report was provided for information purposes: There were six (6) transfers. There were twelve (12) agent suspensions due to termination. There were zero (0) reinstatements. Chairman Clark invited comment or discussion.

## Forfeitures - Open:

The Open Forfeiture Report was presented. The Chair invited comment or discussion. There being no further discussion, the Chair called for motions. Mr. Ibison moved to suspend those licensees whose forfeitures were not paid in a timely manner. Mr. Baldwin seconded. The motion was put to a vote and carried with all in favor.

#### **Past Due Forfeitures:**

The Past Due Forfeiture Report was presented for review. Chairman Clark invited questions, comments or discussion.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

# **Vouchers Paid & Financial Report:**

Chairman Clark invited questions and/or discussion regarding the vouchers paid since the last Board Meeting. There being no further questions or comments and the Board proceeded.

### **License Approvals:**

Zero (0) bondsman license applications approved since last meeting and one (1) tentative bondsman applications were submitted for Board approval. The motion passed with all in favor.

### Company Application/Roche Bail Bonds of Arkansas, LLC:

A company application for Roche Bail Bonds of Arkansas, LLC was presented for approval. After a review of the documentation a motion was made by Mr. Baldwin to set aside approval of the license until the December meeting to allow the company to submit documentation that was not complete. Mr. Person seconded. The motion passed with all in favor.

**Request of Director Rowland:** A discussion took place at Director Rowland's request regarding credit bonding. Due to the extensive schedule of hearing it was determined that the matter would be placed on a future agenda for detailed discussion.

**Request of Director Rowland:** A discussion took place at Director Rowland's request regarding a two-part license step for bondsman. Due to the extensive schedule of hearing it was determined that the matter would be placed on a future agenda for detailed discussion.

Curt Clark, Chairman

A recap of pending cases was submitted by staff.
Public Comments:
Meeting was adjourned.
Submitted for approval:
This 11 day of December 2009

**Investigators Report:**